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The information disclosure statements (IDS) submitted on 07/22/2006 was filed after the mailing date of the Notice of Allowance on 05/17/2006. The submission is in compliance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.97. Accordingly, the information disclosure statement is being considered by the examiner.

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